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In re the Application of

Jean-Noel THOREL

Application No.: 10/006,389

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For: COSMETIC PRODUCTS COMPATIBLE WITH CUTANEOUS ECOLOGY AND METHOD FOR

THEIR USE (AS AMENDED)

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Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

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	SMALL ENTITY				
	RATE	ADD'L FEE			
	x 9	_\$			
i	x 42	\$			
	+140	\$			
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OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY					
ΩR	RATE	ADD'L FEE			
	x 18	\$	36		
	x 84	\$			
ΩR	+280	\$			
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Sir:

In reply to the Restriction/Election of Species Requirement mailed May 31, 2002, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please add new claims 21 and 22 as follows:

- The composition according to claim 1, wherein said at least two biodermal constituents include at least one amino acid .--
- --22. The composition according to claim 21, wherein said composition comprises at least one non-biodermal trace element.--

REMARKS

Claims 1-22 are now pending. Claims 21 and 22 are added herein.

The Patent Office requires election of one of the following inventions:

Group I: claims 1-16;

Group II: claim 17; and

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